



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Paul Frederick Koeppe et al.

Art Unit : 2836

Serial No.: 09/944,791

Examiner: Roberto Jose Rios Cuevas

Filed

: August 31, 2001

Title

: VOLTAGE RECOVERY DEVICE FOR USE WITH A UTILITY POWER

NETWORK

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Washington, D.C. 20231

TRANSMITTAL OF PAPER COPIES OF REFERENCES

Enclosed are copies of an Information Disclosure Statement and PTO-1449 filed July 21, 2004 by facsimile. Included for reference are copies of the facsimile cover sheet and transmission report.

Also enclosed are paper copies of references listed on form PTO-1449, which was attached to the Information Disclosure Statement.

Respectfully submitted,

JULY 23,

Frank R. Occhiuti Reg. No. 35,306

Fish & Richardson P.C. 225 Franklin Street Boston, Massachusetts 02110-2804

Telephone: (617) 542-5070 Facsimile: (617) 542-8906

20906780.doc

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING BY FIRST CLASS MAIL

R. Ochul

I hereby certify under 37 CFR §1.8(a) that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail with sufficient postage on the date indicated below and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Date of Dep

Signature

Michelle M. Buckley

Typed or Printed Name of Person Signing Certificate



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Paul Frederick Koeppe et al.

: 2836 Art Unit

Serial No.: 09/944,791

Examiner: Roberto Jose Rios Cuevas

Filed

: August 31, 2001

Title

: VOLTAGE RECOVERY DEVICE FOR USE WITH A UTILITY POWER

NETWORK

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Applicant submits reference AP listed on the attached form PTO-1449 with the facsimile transmission of this Information Disclosure Statement on July 21, 2004. Paper copies of all references, including AP, listed on the attached 1449 will be mailed to the PTO with the cover letter entitled, "Transmittal of Paper Copies of References."

This statement is being filed after a first Office action on the merits, but before receipt of a final Office action or a Notice of Allowance. Please apply a charge of \$180 as payment for the late submission fee of §1.17(p) to deposit account 06-1050, reference 05770-145001.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: July 21, 200'

Frank R. Occhiuti Reg. No. 35,306

Fish & Richardson P.C. 225 Franklin Street Boston, MA 02110-2804

Telephone: (617) 542-5070

Facsimile: (617) 542-8906

20906718.doc

CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION BY FACSIMILE

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being transmitted by facsimile to the Patent and Trademark Office on the date indicated below.

Date of Transmis

Signature

Michelle Buckley

Typed or Printed Name of Person Signing Certificate

1111	7	R	2004

JUL Z 8 ZUGA 💆	B JUL
Substitute Form PTO-144 (Modifiest)	THEY
Informatio	7

bstitute	₽ m	PTO-1449	
odifie	7		

U.S. Department of Commerce Patent and Trademark Office Attorney's Docket No. 05770-145001

Application No. 09/944,791

Sheet 1 of 1

Applicant Information Disclosure Statement

by Applicant (Use several sheets if necessary)

6,577,108

AM

Paul Frederick Koeppe et al.

August 31, 2001

Filing Date

Group Art Unit 2836

(37 CFR §1.98(b))

U.S. Patent Documents Filing Date Publication Document Desig. Examiner **Subclass** If Appropriate Class Date Patentee Number Initial ID 4,128,805 12/05/78 Lanz AAYamamura et al. 05/04/82 4,328,551 AB 07/12/94 Schauder 5,329,221 AC 07/12/94 Gyugyi et al. 5,329,222 AD Gyugyi et al. 08/30/94 ΑE 5,343,139 Brennan et al. 09/27/94 5,351,181 ΑF Beckwith 07/30/96 5,541,498 AG Marceau et al. 10/15/96 5,566,085 AH Nelson et al. 03/11/97 5,610,501 ΑI Norman et al. 05/20/97 5,631,545 ΑJ Thorvaldsson 10/19/99 5,969,509 AK Noro 03/19/02 AL 6,359,423 06/10/03 Hubert et al.

Foreign Patent Documents or Published Foreign Patent Applications								
Examiner Initial	Desig.	Document Number	Publication Date	Country or Patent Office	Class	Subclass	Trans Yes	No No
	AN	5-30686	02/05/93	Japan				
	. AO	WO96/19025	06/20/96	WIPO			l 	

Other Documents (include Author, Title, Date, and Place of Publication)				
Examiner Initial	Desig. ID	Document		
	AP	Sasaki et al., "A Study on Optimal Placement Problem of Fuel Cells into Distribution Systems, <i>T.IEEE</i> , vol. 114-B, no. 5, 1994, pp. 491-497.		

Fxai	miner	Sign	ature

Date Considered

EXAMINER: Initials citation considered. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with



Attorney's Docket No.: 05770-145001

Client's Ref. No.: AMSC-533 D-VAR

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATION FACSIMILE:

OFFICIAL FAX NO: (703) 872-9306

Number of pages including this page

10

Applicant: Paul Frederick Koeppe et al.

Art Unit: 2836

Serial No.: 09/944,791

Examiner: Roberto Jose Rios Cuevas

Filed

: August 31, 2001

Title

: VOLTAGE RECOVERY DEVICE FOR USE WITH A UTILITY POWER

NETWORK

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Attached to this facsimile communication cover sheet is an Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449, and reference entitled, "A Study on the Optimal Placement Problem of Fuel Cells in Distribution Systems," faxed this 21st day of July, 2004, to the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: July 21, 2004

Frank R. Occhiuti Reg. No. 35,306

Fish & Richardson P.C. 225 Franklin Street Boston, MA 02110-2804 Telephone: (617) 542-5070

Fax: (617) 542-8906

20906715.doc

NOTE: This facsimile is intended for the addressee only and may contain privileged or confidential information. If you have received this facsimile in error, please immediately call us collect at (617) 542-5070 to arrange for its return. Thank you.

TX REPORT ***********

TRANSMISSION OK

TX/RX NO

1821

CONNECTION TEL

#145001#17038729306#

SUBADDRESS

CONNECTION ID

07/21 16:28

ST. TIME USAGE T

04'22

PGS. SENT

10

RESULT

OK